

United States District Court for the Central District of California

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Alicemarie H. Stotler
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
Education: USC 1964 BA, 1967 JD
Began Service: 1984
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
Political Affiliation: Republican

Government: Deputy District Attorney, County of Orange, California (1967-1973)

Judicial: Judge, Orange County Municipal Court (1976-1978); Judge, California Superior Court, Orange County (1978-1983)

Legal Practice: Partner, Stotler & Stotler (1973-1976)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; California Judges Association; California Judges Foundation; Federal Judges Association; National Association of Women Judges; Orange County Bar Association; Orange County Trial Lawyers Association

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Manuel L. Real
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1924
Education: USC 1944 BS; Loyola (New Orleans) 1951 LLB
Began Service: November 13, 1966
Appointed By: President Lyndon B. Johnson
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of California, United States Department of Justice (1952-1955); United States Attorney, Southern District of California, United States Department of Justice (1964-1966)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1955-1964)

Military Service: United States Navy (1943-1945)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Chief Special Agents Association; Federal Bar Association; Los Angeles County Bar Association; State Bar of California

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Stephen V. Wilson
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1941
Education: Lehigh 1963 BA; Brooklyn Law 1967 JD;
George Washington 1973 LLM
Began Service: 1985
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Academic: Adjunct Professor of Law, Loyola University Law School (California) (1977-1979); Adjunct Professor of Law, University of San Diego School of Law (1984)

Government: Trial Attorney, Tax Division, United States Department of Justice (1968-1971); Assistant U.S. Attorney, Central District of California, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1971-1977); Attorney, Central District of California, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, Fraud and Special Prosecutions Section, United States Department of Justice (1973-1977); Chairman, Federal Indigent Defense Panel Committee of District Court (1979-1980)

Legal Practice: Partner, Hochman, Salkin & DeRoy (1977-1985)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; District of Columbia Bar; Los Angeles County Bar Association; New York Bar Association; State Bar of California

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Ronald S. W. Lew
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1941
Education: Loyola Marymount 1964 BA; Southwestern Law 1971 JD
Began Service: May 7, 1987
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Deputy City Attorney, City of Los Angeles, California (1972-1974); Commissioner, Los Angeles City Fire and Police Pension (1976-1982)

Judicial: Judge, Los Angeles County Municipal Court (1982-1984); Justice Pro Tem, California Court of Appeal, Second Appellate District, Division Seven, 1984; Judge, California Superior Court, Los Angeles County (1984-1987); Justice Pro Tem, California Supreme Court (1985)

Legal Practice: Partner, Avans & Lew (1974-1981)

Military Service: United States Army (1967-1969)

Current Memberships: California Asian Judges Association; Southern California Chinese Lawyers Association

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Audrey B. Collins
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
Education: Howard U 1967 BA;
American U 1969 MA; UCLA 1977 JD
Began Service: May 11, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Deputy District Attorney, Los Angeles County, State of California (1978-1994); Head Deputy, Office of the District Attorney, Torrance Branch Office, Los Angeles County, California (1987-1988); Assistant Director, Bureaus of Central Operations and Special Operations (1988-1992); Assistant District Attorney, Los Angeles County, California (1992-1994); Deputy General Counsel, Office of the Special Advisor to the LAPD Board of Commissioners, 1992

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Black Women Lawyers of Los Angeles County; California Women Lawyers; Langston Bar Association of Los Angeles; Los Angeles County Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges; National Bar Association; Women Lawyers of Los Angeles

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Education: Arizona 2003 JD
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Education: Loyola Law 2004 JD

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George H. King
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951
Education: UCLA 1971 AB; USC 1974 JD
Began Service: July 3, 1995
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Southwestern University School of Law (1982-1983); Instructor, School of Public Administration, USC (1982-1984)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Central District of California, United States Department of Justice (1975-1979); Business Litigation Arbitrator, California Superior Court, Los Angeles County (1981-1987)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Central District of California (1987-1995)

Legal Practice: Associate, Mitchell, Silberberg & Knupp (1974-1975); Senior Associate, Lillick, McHouse & Charles (1979-1980); George H. King Law Offices (1980-1987)

Staff

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Dean D. Pregerson
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951
Education: UCLA 1972 BA; UC Davis 1976 JD
Began Service: August 1, 1996
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Corporate: Vice President and Counsel, The Torrance Company (1985)

Government: Parole Hearing Officer, Department of Corrections, State of California (1977); Assistant Public Defender, Public Defender Service Corporation (1978-1980)

Legal Practice: Partner, Pregerson & Pregerson (1978); Sole Practitioner (1980-1981); Partner, Pregerson & McCully (1982); Partner, Pregerson, McCully & Pregerson (1982); Associate, Brian Silver, Attorney at Law (1982); Partner, Harney & Moore (1983-1985); Partner, Berman & Wedner (1986-1988); Sole Practitioner (1988-1989); Partner, Pregerson & Richman (1989-1991); Partner, Pregerson, Richman & Luna (1991-1996)

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